



STATE OF WASHINGTON
APPLICATION FOR CHANGE/TRANSFER
OF WATER RIGHT S2-00817C
For filing with Ecology

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(Check all that apply.)

- ☒ Change purpose(s) of use
☐ Add purpose(s) of use
☒ Change the point of diversion to two points of withdrawal
Add point(s) of diversion/withdrawal
☒ Change/transfer place of use
☐ Other (i.e. consolidation, intertie, trust water)

Explain: _____

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CHANGE No. 52-00817 WRIA 29

DATE ACCEPTED 4/23/04 BY SC

FEE \$ ✓ REC'D 4/23/04

CHECK No. _____

SEPA: Exempt Not exempt

****IF MORE SPACE IS NEEDED, ATTACH ADDITIONAL SHEETS (PLEASE PRINT OR TYPE CLEARLY)****

1. Applicant Information:

| | | |
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| APPLICANT/BUSINESS NAME Skamania County | PHONE NO. (509) 427-9447 | FAX NO. (509) 427-7365 |
| A MUNICIPAL CORPORATION | | |
| C/O Marilyn Butler, Administrative Services Manager | | |
| Skamania County Board of Commission | | |
| P. O. Box 790 | | |
| Stevenson | WA | 98648 |

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| CONTACT NAME (IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE) Kris G. Kauffman, P. E. | PHONE NO. (253) 581-9752 | FAX NO. (253) 588-1588 |
| ADDRESS Water Rights, Inc. 12228 Nyanza Rd. SW | | |
| CITY Lakewood | WA | 98499 |

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3. Points of Diversion/Withdrawal:

A. Existing Point of Diversion

| SOURCE | NO. | ¼ | ¼ | SEC. | TWP. | RGE. | PARCEL # | WELL TAG # |
|---------------------------|-----|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|----------|------------|
| Trout Creek (USFS) | | SW | NE | 27 | 4N | 7E | | |
| | | | | | | | | |

B. Proposed Points of Withdrawal:

| SOURCE | NO. | ¼ | ¼ | SEC. | TWP. | RGE. | PARCEL # | WELL TAG # |
|-----------------|----------|---|---|--------------------|-----------|-----------|--|------------|
| New Well | 3 | | | 22 & 27 | 4N | 7E | County-owned Lands Tax Parcels: 4-7-27-1800 4-7-27-1900 4-7-27-2000 (see Exhibit H) | |
| New Well | 4 | | | 22 & 27 | 4N | 7E | | |

DO YOU OWN THE EXISTING AND PROPOSED POINT(S) OF DIVERSION / WITHDRAWAL?

EXISTING: YES ☒ NO ☐ PROPOSED: ☒ YES ☐ NO – IF NO, PROVIDE OWNER(S) NAME:

New wells 3 and 4 may be co-located with new wells 1 and 2 associated with change application to GWC G2-25679C previously submitted to Ecology.

See Exhibit C – USDA Conveyance Deed dated February 1, 2002.

Please include copies of all water well reports involved with this proposal. Also, if you know the distances from the nearest section corner to the above point(s) of diversion/withdrawal, please include that information in Item No. 6 (remarks) or as an attachment.

Trout Creek POD is located 300 feet north and 50 feet east of the middle point of Section 27 T4N, R7E at Hemlock Dam (Exhibit A).

See Exhibit G – Statement and Documentation of Environmental Benefits for information and discussion regarding interruptibility and environmental benefits of change in point of diversion from Trout Creek to well(s).

4. Purpose of Use:

A. Existing

| PURPOSE OF USE | cfs | ACRE- FT/YR | PERIOD OF USE |
|---------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------|--------------------|
| Irrigation of 160 acres | Total 8.25* for both uses | 228** | May 1 to October 1 |
| Frost Control (FC) of 160 acres | | 190*** | As needed |

* 8.25 cfs is in addition to the 2 cfs for irrigation under SWC 764 as changed and renumbered to SWC S2-00909AMC.

** 228 AF/YR is a primary right as the first annual quantity expressly specified from this source

*** 190 AF/YR is a primary right as the first Frost Control quantity indicated from this source.

B. Proposed use for the County's portion of S2-00817C

| PURPOSE OF USE | cfs | ACRE-FT/YR | PERIOD OF USE |
|----------------|-------|------------|-------------------------|
| Municipal | 7.02* | 355** | Continuously, as needed |

* 7.02 is expressly in addition to 2 cfs under SWC 764/S2-00909AMC.

** 355 AF/YR is a primary right (SWC 764 or SWC S2-00909AMC do not specify an annual amount for the 20 acres irrigated thereunder).

5. Place of Use:

A. Existing

| LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LANDS WHERE WATER IS PRESENTLY USED: | | | | | | | |
|---|---|------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|----------|------------|
| All within Section 27 per S2-00817C Certificate in <u>Exhibit A</u> | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | |
| ¼ | ¼ | SEC. | TWP. | RGE. | COUNTY | PARCEL # | # OF ACRES |
| | | | 4N | 7E | Skamania | | 240 |
| DO YOU OWN ALL THE LANDS IN THE EXISTING PLACE OF USE? YES X NO – IF NO, PROVIDE OWNER(S) NAME: | | | | | | | |
| The land in Sections 27 is partly owned by USFS, partly by Skamania County and the remainder by private land owners, see <u>Exhibit H</u>. | | | | | | | |

B. Proposed Place of Use for the County's portion of S2-00817C

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LANDS WHERE NEW USE IS PROPOSED:

Lands owned by Skamania County in the Lot 2 of Section 22 (Bunker Hill Field); and within Section 27 (a part of the Bunker Hill Field and all of the Trout and Martha Creek Fields) see Exhibit H.

All conveyed lands per Exhibit C – Conveyance Deed dated February 1, 2002.

| 1/4 | 1/4 | SEC. | TWP. | RGE. | COUNTY | PARCEL # | # OF ACRES |
|-----|-----|------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|--|----------------|
| | | 22 and 27 | 4N | 7E | Skamania | 4-7-27-1800 4-7-27-1900 4-7-27-2000 | 187.51* |

DO YOU OWN ALL THE LANDS IN THE PROPOSED PLACE OF USE? ☒ YES NO – IF NO, PROVIDE OWNER(S) NAME:

*** The acres noted are inclusive of a small amount of land within Lot 2 of Section 34; T4N; R7EWM that is not included in the POU hereunder.**

Attach a detailed map of your proposed change/transfer. The map should show existing and proposed point(s) of diversion/withdrawal, place of use and any other features involved with this application. If platted property, please include a certified copy of the plat map.

See Exhibit H for existing and proposed locations.

Are there any ADDITIONAL WATER rights OR CLAIMS RELATED to the same property as the ONE PROPOSED FOR CHANGE/TRANSFER?

☒ YES NO – IF YES, PROVIDE THE WATER RIGHT/CLAIM NUMBER(S):

**S2-26536C; R2-23196C; SWC764/S2-00909AMC; SWC766; GWC G2-25679C;
GWC 3808 (Relinquished).**

6. Remarks and Other Relevant Information:

The SWC subject of this change application is the first to address a Frost Control element for the Wind River Nursery. Two earlier filings (SWC 764 and SWC S2-00817C did not).

SWC S2-00817C (see ROE at Exhibit F) was issued for 8.25 cfs IN ADDITION to the 2 cfs for Irrigation Use under SWC 764.

SWC 764 is the oldest (filed 3/15/23) Surface Water Right for appropriation of waters. SWC 764 included irrigation of 20 acres in a portion of said Section 27. SWC S2-00909AMC changed the domestic use to irrigation and appropriated one additional cfs of water diversion (out of a total of 9 cfs) for irrigation.

The diversion works associated with SWC S2-00817C (this filing) are the same as SWC 764 and SWC S2-26536C. SWC S2-00817C is a Water Right filing representing the full project use for Irrigation and Frost Control at the time filed (1/19/70). Subsequently, S2-26536C updated the Frost Control duty required and used at site.

See Exhibit G – Statement and Documentation of Environmental Benefits for information and discussion regarding interruptibility and environmental benefits of change in point of diversion from Trout Creek to well(s).

See Exhibit I - Geology Cross Sections and a Surface Geology Map for the area of the proposed new wells. This characterizes the Groundwater situation and documents the expectation that the proposed well(s) will be, in at least one direction, connected with the same body of waters.

7. Signatures:

I certify that the information above is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that in order to process my application, I am hereby granting staff from the Department of Ecology or the County Conservancy Board access to the above site(s) for inspection and monitoring purposes. If assisted in the preparation of the above application, I understand that all responsibility for the accuracy of the information rests with me.

Albert E. Smith 4/12/04
(Applicant) (Skamania County) (Date)

Albert E. Smith 4/12/04
(Water Right Holder for change) (Skamania County) (Date)

Albert E. Smith 4/12/04
(Land Owner(s) of Existing Place of Use) (Date)

See full Conveyance Deed, Exhibit J.

IMPORTANT! APPLICATION FILING INFORMATION IS PROVIDED ON THE NEXT PAGE.

WE ARE RETURNING YOUR APPLICATION FOR THE FOLLOWING REASON(S):

APPLICATION FEE NOT ENCLOSED

MAP NOT INCLUDED or INCOMPLETE

ADDITIONAL SIGNATURES REQUIRED

SECTION _____ IS INCOMPLETE

OTHER/EXPLANATION: _____

STAFF: _____ DATE: ____/____/____

This proposed project has a development schedule of 50 years for full implementation.

The land owner of the Place of Use proposed by this Change is now the County, per Conveyance Deed (Exhibits C and J).